

Senate Budget and Fiscal Review—Wesley Chesbro, Chair

SUBCOMMITTEE NO. 2

Agenda

Byron Sher, Chair
Sheila Kuehl
Bruce McPherson



Thursday, March 18, 2004
Upon Adjournment of Session
Room 112

Outcomes

Consent Calendar

- **Action.** Approve as budgeted.
 - 3110 Special Resources Programs
 - 3680 Department of Boating and Waterways
 - 3780 Native American Heritage Commission
 - 7300 Agriculture Labor Relations Board
- **Vote.** 3-0

- **Action.** Approve as budgeted.
 - 3560 State Lands Commission
- **Vote.** 2-0 (McPherson)

Consent Calendar, excluding bond funds

- **No Action.** Held open pending more information regarding reductions.
 - 3125 California Tahoe Conservancy
 - 3760 State Coastal Conservancy
 - 3810 Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy
 - 3825 San Gabriel and Lower Los Angeles Rivers and Mountains Conservancy
 - 3830 San Joaquin River Conservancy
 - 3835 Baldwin Hills Conservancy
 - 3845 San Diego River Conservancy
 - 3850 Coachella Valley Mountains Conservancy

3640 Wildlife Conservation Board

- *No Action.* Department not heard – all issues remain open.

3720 California Coastal Commission

- *No Action.* Department not heard – all issues remain open.

8570 California Department of Food and Agriculture

1. Capital Outlay

- *Action.* Held Open.

2. Position Management

- *Action.* Held this issue open and directed staff, LAO, and the department to develop trailer bill language that requires the department to comply with standard administrative procedures related to establishing new positions.

3. General Fund Reduction

- *Action.* Held this issue open and directed the department and DOF to develop options for reducing CDFA's General Fund budget an additional 5 percent and 10 percent.

4. Department of Food and Agriculture Should Monitor and Report on Use of Antibiotics in Farm Animals

- *Action.* Adopted the following trailer bill language.
 - (a) On or before June 1, 2005, the department shall do all of the following:
 - (1) collect information from manufacturers of animal feed and of oral and injectable antibiotics used in farm animals to determine the amounts of those antibiotics used in the agricultural and veterinary setting.
 - (2) in consultation and cooperation with the Department of Health Services, evaluate and report to the appropriate policy and fiscal committees of the Legislature on the use of antibiotics in the agricultural and veterinary setting and its impacts on human antibiotic resistance.
- *Vote.* 2-1 (McPherson)

5. Repeal of Animal Control Mandate

- *Action.* Suspended mandate, thereby providing \$0 to fund this mandate in 2004-05.
- *Vote.* 3-0